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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5497

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE
SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES' TASK FORCE
ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE."**

1 In line 188, strike "shall establish" and substitute "may establish,
2 within available appropriations," in lieu thereof

3 In line 208, after the period, insert the following: "The Judicial
4 Branch shall cease operation of any pilot program established under
5 this subsection not later than March 31, 2011, unless resources are

6 available to continue operation of the pilot program."

7 In line 432, strike "A protective order issued under this"

8 Strike lines 433 and 434 in their entirety

9 In line 443, strike ", for good cause shown,"

10 Strike lines 530 to 546, inclusive, in their entirety and substitute the
11 following in lieu thereof:

12 "Sec. 13. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) For the purposes of this
13 section, "domestic violence docket" means a docket in a geographical
14 area separate and apart from other criminal matters for the hearing of
15 family violence matters.

16 (b) Not later than December 31, 2010, the Chief Court Administrator
17 shall identify geographical areas that do not have a domestic violence
18 docket and designate three geographical areas from among such
19 geographical areas for the establishment of domestic violence dockets.
20 Not later than June 30, 2011, the Chief Court Administrator may
21 establish, within available resources, a domestic violence docket in
22 each geographical area so designated under this subsection. If the
23 Chief Court Administrator establishes such dockets, the Chief Court
24 Administrator shall, prior to establishing such dockets, examine the
25 effectiveness of domestic violence dockets in existence prior to the
26 effective date of this section, and incorporate, within available
27 resources, the operational elements of such dockets that the Chief
28 Court Administrator deems beneficial to victims of family violence. If
29 the Chief Court Administrator does not establish such dockets by June
30 30, 2011, the Chief Court Administrator shall submit a report, in
31 accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint
32 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
33 matters relating to the judiciary, stating the reasons why such dockets
34 were not established."

35 In line 583, strike "one" and substitute "three" in lieu thereof

36 In line 591, strike "flextime,"

37 In line 600, after the period, insert the following: "An employer may
38 limit unpaid leave under this section to twelve days during any
39 calendar year. Leave under this section shall not affect any other leave
40 provided under state or federal law."

41 In line 616, strike "medical or other" and substitute "licensed
42 medical professional or other licensed" in lieu thereof